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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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FOR: ALUMINUM NITRIDE POWDER AND ALUMINUM NITRIDE SINTERED  
COMPACT

**RESTRICTION RESPONSE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 18, 2008, Applicants elect, without traverse, Group I, Claims 1, 2, 6 and 7 (drawn to AlN powder and a method of making), for examination.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.